

ONE NEW SHOW AMONG NEXT WEEK'S OFFERINGS

THE PLAYGOER'S WEEKLY TALK

Observations on Plays and Photoplays of Interest to Philadelphians

THE pre-holiday famine before the customary Yuletide feast will put...

IT WILL be interesting to see Frances Starr in a new emotional role...

There was a time when people went to the theatre to be miserable...

And how infinitely harder must acting be today than in the olden days...

"Humor—comedy is infectious," says Joseph Cawthorn...

MISS REIFSNYDER IN RECITAL Well-Known Contralto Appears in an Interesting Program of Songs

It is not meant that an actor is dependent for his inspiration on the audience...

HERE is this: "To the Dramatic Editor: 'It may amuse you and your readers to know that Broadway actor...

Christmas at Stanley Anita Stewart and Charlie Chaplin will be seen in new photoplays...

Allegheys's New Management The Allegheys is now under the direction of the Stanley Co. Vanderville...

ACROSS THE FOOTLIGHTS



FLORRIE MC CLOUD, MISS BENNIE FRIEDMAN, JIM BOGARDT, INEZ HANLY, CAMILLE POIRAIRE

week. Lemuels and Gibson have a second night success. "As We Older Grow" heads the efforts of Frank...

ORPHEUM—"The Barrier," a thrilling dramatization of Rex Beach's work, known both as a novel and movie...

TRACADERO—"The 1920 edition of 'The Lid Lifters' is billed. Absolute elimination of vulgarity is pledged...

BIJOU—"Broadway Belles" are under the personal direction of Joe Levitt, which is a guarantee of its burlesque quality...

PEOPLE—"Talk of the World in Burlesque" is the title the producers have given their play. It includes a musical comedy revue...

Coming Attractions DECEMBER 22 FORREST—"The Rainbow Girl," founded on a comedy by J. K. Jerome...

METROPOLITAN OPERA—"Passing Show," Winter Garden revue on things theatrical and comic...

ADELPHI—"Breakfast in Bed," a new farce, featuring Florence Moore.

WALNUT—"The Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come," a dramatization of John Fox's novel.

PHILADELPHIA THEATRE—"On the Hiring Line," comedy, by Harriet Ford and Harvey O'Higgins...

BROAD—"Moonlight and Honey-suckle," with Ruth Chatterton as star.

GARRICK—"Three Wise Fools," by Austin Strong, author of 'The Drums of Oude'...

A Lyric Comedienne Juliette Day, playing one of the principal roles in 'Oh, My Dear'...

BROADWAY—"Too Much Wife," musical comedy, by Nora Jane and company...

WILLIAM PENN—"Jane and Katherine Lee, in person; Johnny Clark and company, in sketch; Dreams and Egan, entertainers; Anger, Scheel and King, dancers; Nora Jane and company, in sketch; 'A Night at the Circus'...

NIXON—"The Aeroplane Girls," teeth experts; Wastika and Seal; Nancy Boyer and company; skit; Bertram and Saxon, comedians; White, Black and Useless, novelty act; photoplay, 'Flame of the Yukon' with Dorothy Dalton...

GRAND—"Hennings, John and Winnie, dancers; Jack Cahill and Romaine Don, comedians; Beuton and Elliott, sketch; Four Musical Lads, musical comedy; 'The Blue Bonnet,' featuring Billie Rhodes, first night; 'The Blue Bonnet'...

SHUBERT—"A Lonely Romeo," with Lew Fields, appearing as a man-milliner by day and a cabaret lizard by night.

LYRIC—"The Riddle Woman," a modern drama. Bertha Kalich interprets a highly temperamental character, the frantically driven victim of a polished blackmailer.

CHESTNUT—"Oh, My Dear," brilliant musical comedy. Cast includes Juliette Day, Hal Forde and Florence Johns. A Parisian fashion exhibit of gowns plus ditties, drooleries and dances.

WALNUT—"My Honolulu Girl," a native Hawaiian troupe, typical of the beach at Waikiki. Manual in eruption, are features.

A CREATOR OF DANCERS

William Rock Pre-eminent as Trainer as Well as Artist

The name of William Rock is equivalent to the superior in dancing. His line is not only dancing but the making of dancers and the staging of dancing.

This season William Rock is appearing in a revue in one of his own productions. He is supported by seven dancers whom he describes as '1-2-3-4-5 Girls and Two More'.

U. S. PLAYWRIGHT IN INDIA Strong's Play Going the Same in England and America

Austin Strong, author of 'Three Wise Fools' coming to the Garrick early next month, is also the author of 'The Little Father of the Wilderness'...

"HELLO: BALBAZOO" Y. M. H. A. Thespians to Produce New Show

The Balbazoo Club of the Young Men's Hebrew Association of Philadelphia, will produce 'Hello, Balbazoo'...

MAY IRWIN COMING Will Open the Newly Named Philadelphia Theatre

May Irwin in 'On the Hiring Line' will be the opening attraction at the Philadelphia Theatre, formerly the Little Theatre, when it starts its season on December 20...

AMERICAN LEGION TO SEE JANIS FILM A private showing of the Elsie Janis photoplay, 'A Regular Girl'...

MR. ERNEST BLOCH The Eminent Swiss Composer Five Lectures, on Alternate Thursdays at Half After Four

POST GRADUATE SCHOOL OF MUSIC and the Fine Arts 1509 Locust Street

THE SCHMIDT QUARTET IN CONCERT FRIDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 19TH

DUMONT'S of Emmett S. Welch Music Store, ARCH 97th STS.

GARRICK MAT. TODAY LAST TIMES GEO. COMINS' 'A PRINCE THERE WAS' with GRANT and GUTTSCHALL

METROPOLITAN OPERA HOUSE For Entire Engagement Xmas and New Year's Week, Beg. Mon. Dec. 22

SAM S. SHUBERT MATS. WED. 156 FIELDS in the Hollings & SAT. 'A LONELY ROMANCE' Musical Comedy

LYRIC MATINEES WEDNESDAY AND SATURDAY BERTHA KALICH in 'THE RIDDLE WOMAN'

ADELPHI MATINEES THURSDAY AND SATURDAY TEA #3 with CHARLOTTE WALKER and EMMETT S. WELCH

C. B. MADDOCK 'FOR PITTY'S SAKE' Presents With THOMAS BRAY and COMPANY OF 15 PLAYERS

Next Week! Merry Christmas Week Festival 3 Shows Daily, 1 P. M., 8:00 and 9:30, including 'You For Me'...

PHILADELPHIA'S FOREMOST THEATRES

BROAD "DADDIES" BY JOHN W. HOBBLE

WILLIAM GILLETTE "DEAR BRUTUS" SURROUNDED BY THE MOST SUPERB CHARLES FROHMAN CAST SEEN HERE IN YEARS

GARRICK LIMITED ENGAGEMENT BEGINNING MONDAY AT 8:15

FRANCES STARR "TIGER! TIGER!"

FORREST "IT'S A BIRD OF A SNOW" CHARLES DILLINGHAM'S COMBINATION OF MUSICAL COMEDY STARS FROM THE GLOBE THEATRE, N. Y.

SUNDAY SUNDAY SANDERSON CANTHORN in "THE CANARY" with DOYLE & DIXON and MAUDE EUBURNE

THE RAINBOW GIRL A COMEDY DRAMA WITH A PURPOSE BY WILLARD MACK

THE LITTLE THEATRE BALZAR & 13th ST. LAST MATINEE TODAY LAST TIME TONIGHT

WALNUT 25c to \$1.00 LAST MATINEE TODAY LAST TIME TONIGHT

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THE BEAUTY TRUST WITH ALL-STAR CAST OF FUNKMERS SPECIAL ATTRACTION: NEDRA???

PEOPLES ALL NEXT WEEK—MAT. DAILY NO QUESTION ABOUT IT—James E. Cooper, Presents

THE BEST SHOW IN TOWN SKETCHES BY FRANK HUNTER

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MY HONOLULU GIRL Last Week Beginning Monday

NATIVE HAWAIIAN SINGERS, DANCERS, COSTUME SHOWS OF PRETTY GIRLS

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S WEEKS "The Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come"

Coliseum Theatre ON MARKET STREET BELOW GATE PROGRAM WEEK OF DEC. 14TH, 1919

Cedar Theatre 90TH AND CEDAR AVE. PROGRAM WEEK OF DEC. 14TH, 1919

Frankford Theatre 4715 FRANKFORD AVE. PROGRAM WEEK OF DEC. 14TH, 1919

BROADWAY BELLES With an ALL-STAR CAST

LAZZARI & GANZ CENTRALTOPIAN Ballroom Bellevue-Stratford

ACADEMY OF MUSIC Saturday Afternoon at 2:30 JAN. 3

RACHMANINOFF 1919 Edition With Chas. Cole, Soloist, E. J. Condon, Pianist, J. J. Condon, Pianist, J. J. Condon, Pianist